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TAGS: PINS, EAIR
SUBJECT: APPROACH TO THE GOL CONCERNING ANTI-HIJACKING CONVENTIONS

REF: STATE 90969

1. THE AMERICAN, DUTCH AND GHANIAN AMBASSADORS MET WITH FOREIGN MINISTER C. CECIL DENNIS, JR. APRIL 12 TO MAKE THE JOINT DEMARCHE REQUESTED IN REFTTEL. DENNIS REPLIED THAT THE GOL WHOLELY SUPPORTS ALL EFFORTS TO COMBAT HIJACKING AND THAT HE COULD NOT EXPLAIN WHY APPARENTLY THE GOL HAD NOT YET RATIFIED THE THREE CONVENTIONS CONCERNED. HE NOTED THAT THE GOL HAD SIGNED THE TOKYO CONVENTION AND WAS MAKING INQUIRIES CONCERNING WHY THE GOL HAD NOT YET SIGNED THE HAGUE AND MONTREAL CONVENTIONS.

2. DENNIS NOTED THAT THE LIBERIAN SENATE WAS CURRENTLY IN SESSION AND SAID THAT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY WOULD IMMEDIATELY INITIATE PROCEDURES REQUIRED TO OBTAIN RATIFICATION BY THE SENATE OF THE TOKYO CONVENTION. HE TOLD THE THREE AMBASSADORS THAT HE HOPED SENATE RATIFICATION COULD BE COMPLETED BY THE END OF NEXT WEEK. HE ADDED THAT HE WAS CERTAIN THAT
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PRESIDENT TOLBERT WOULD WANT TO EXPEDITE GOL ACTION ON ALL CONVENTIONS.
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